



York Township Recreation Board

Meeting Agenda

July 5, 2007

York Township Administration Building

7:00 p.m.

- I. Call to Order
- II. Review of Minutes and Budget Reports
 - A. May Minutes/No June Minutes
 - B. May/June Budget Report
- III. Public Comments
- IV. Presentations
- V. Staff Report
 - A. Programs
 - B. Park Repairs/Projects
 - C. Environmental Advisory Council
- V. Old Business
 - A. Stump Park
 - B. Markey Park
 - C. Ma & Pa Community Greenway
- VI. New Business
- VII. Adjournment—9:30 p.m. (if not earlier)

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Submitted by Debra Hatley, Director

Programs

- **Boater Safety Class**—On Saturday, June 2nd there were 21 youth & adults attending this class.
- **Summer Concerts**—Our first concert on Sunday, June 3rd with Keil Holland had rain and was moved to the MS Auditorium. Eighteen (18) people attended the performance and it was sponsored by JMT, who brought popcorn and cheese curls for the audience. On Sunday, June 10th, Casher's Flat had 150 people in attendance. On Sunday, June 17th, there were 75 people in the park to hear the band Pasttime. This concert was sponsored by the Coldwell Banker Bob Yost Dallastown location and the audience participated in several drawings for a variety of prizes. On Sunday, June 24th, well over 170 people showed up to hear the Annapolis Bluegrass Coalition. This concert was sponsored by Commerce Bank and Mr. "C" walked around greeting the people in the audience while other representatives gave out bottles of water, lollipops and pens.
- **Learn and Play with Dora Days**—This new program helped reenergize our Creative Play classes for 3-5 year olds. The Learn and Play with Dora Days started on June 4 and had (12) 3 & 4 year olds in the Monday class and (12) 3, 4 & 5 year olds in the Thursday class.
- **Father/Daughter Princess Dance**—This is the first year for this event, which was held Saturday, June 9 in the Training Room at the York Township Municipal Building. We had 29 young girls in grades 1-6 and their fathers enjoy the DJ music and refreshments.
- **Summer Playground Program**—The program started June 11 and is filling up now, with most sites having less than 10 spaces open each week. The children seem to be having a great time and the comments the department has received have been positive.
- **June Jamboree**—The June Jamboree was held on Saturday, June 16 at York Township Park. Approximately 600-800 people enjoyed the days activities, which ended with a great fireworks show. The Recreation Board has already made comments for improvements and look forward to next year.
- **Volunteens Program**—The Volunteens Program started on June 18 with 19 teens registered for Week 1 and 15 registered for Week 2. The Volunteens help with Playground each Monday and do community service on Wednesdays. Week 1 was a project doing grounds maintenance at Camp Penwood and Week 2 was painting curbs in Dallastown Borough.
- **Summer Specialty Camps**—The first session of the UK Soccer Camp was held June 18-22 with 14 registered for the UK Rec program, 4 for the Goalkeeper program, and 11 for the Nipper program. Two more sessions will be offered again in July and August.
- **York County Senior Games**—The Department again hosted the York County Senior Bocce Games on Tuesday, June 19th and Wednesday, June 20th. There were 75 seniors from the age of 50 years to over 85 years attending this event. This was our 3rd year hosting the event.
- **Summer Bocce League**—The Summer Bocce League begins Wednesday, June 27th from 6-8 p.m. There will be 6 teams participating in the league—4 from the Spring League and 2 new ones.
- **Ballroom Basics & West Coast Swing Classes**—This is a new class being offered by the department and Vera Kwya is the instructor. We had 12 people in both the Ballroom Basic class and West Coast Swing class. The instructor enjoyed teaching the class and has inquired about doing another session and possibly having a dance once a month if allowed.

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Rentals

- York Township Park Building—18 rental dates; 38 program dates
- York Township Park—Pavilion #1—4; Pavilion #2—15; Gazebo—2; Bocce Courts—10; Sand Courts—1
- Special Events—York County Senior Games and June Jamboree at York Township Park

Park Repairs/Projects

- Replaced some basketball nets at Fitz, Shryock, and Heritage Hills Parks
- Assist in preparations for June Jamboree
- Replaced dugout roves at McWilliams Field
- Waterproofed walking bridges at York Township Park
- Placed box hockey boxes at parks and prepared for Summer Playground Activities
- Powerwashed pavilions
- Prepared flower beds at Park Building
- Removed fallen trees from storms at all parks
- Repaired walking path at York Township Park after June storms